

## MANY CONFIRMED

By Bishop Donahue at the Church of Immaculate Conception.

## THE CONFIRMANDS OVER FIFTY

In Number—Vesper Services in the Afternoon—Dr. Bickley on the Larger Christianity at Thomson Church—Yesterday at Wesley M. E. Church—To Raise a Million for Missions.

Yesterday morning at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, on the South Side, an unusually large number of boys and girls were confirmed by Right Rev. Bishop P. J. Donahue, assisted by Rev. Father Mullen, rector of the parish. The services were largely attended and music was a feature of the day. The following were confirmed:

Boys—Joseph Manly, John Rose, Joseph Medler, Frank Przyrenski, James Connors, Charles Riebler, Martin McLaughlin, Andy Minkowski, George Vee, Ambrose McNeil, Edward Habig, Daniel O'Malia, John Loeffler, Frank Carney, August Hasenauer, Richard Joyce, Charles Werner, James Watson, John Watson, Howard Null, Martin Loftus, Charles Walker.

Girls—Mary Geblin, Josephine Oberle, Wilhelmina Otto, Cecilia Ney, Mary Koproksi, Annie Hungerman, Cecilia Bannan, Mary Belleville, Cecilia Auber, Elizabeth Schoen, Teresa Forest, Teresa Ziegler, Catherine Dillon, Sophia Weneske, Mary Minkowski, Mary Seipanski, Mary McNeil, Emma Hackenberg, Minnie Otto, Mary Brownski, Margaret Gavin, Mary Dixon, Blanche Buree, Alice Mackin, Anna Killeen, Balle Nauha, Minnie McNamara, Rose Erb, Elizabeth Thomas, Lucetia Thalman, Bridget Null.

In the afternoon the beautiful Vesper services were given and another large congregation was present. The class of confirmands was very large, but not so large as has been confirmed at this church; in one instance the number was over eighty.

## AT WESLEY CHURCH.

Reception of Probationers There Yesterday Forenoon.

Yesterday at the Wesley M. E. church the morning service was taken up in the ceremony and reception of probationers into full membership. Twenty-one were so received. Rev. L. W. Roberts, assisted by Rev. George Hopwood, conducted the services. The financial report of the board of trustees was read by the treasurer, W. W. McConnell. The church starts off free from debt as far as incidental expenses are concerned. The church debt has been reduced during the year nearly \$500, and a plan is on foot to wipe it out entirely during the next two years at least, perhaps sooner.

At night Rev. L. W. Roberts preached from the text, "As Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so shall the Son of Man be lifted up." He commenced his sermon by saying that he once knew a preacher out in the center of the state that had more sermons than he had texts to read them, and that when he wished to swing clear, he preached from these words. He made the points:

1. That there must be a change made somewhere when one becomes religious; that is, when a sinner becomes a Christian. The change is not in sin, for it is the same thing it was 6,000 years ago. Then the change must be in the sinner.

2. This change is complete; the mind, the thoughts and the whole man. What he hated, he now loves; what he hated, he now loves; what he hated, he now loves.

This change is made through the intercession of Christ. As the people were healed by looking, so are we healed by looking to Christ through faith. The serpent was lifted that it might be seen all over the camp. There were dying ones all through the camp. Hence the serpent should be lifted so it could be seen by all. Christ was lifted up on the cross and the whole world can see. The curse of sin has affected all—its poison has insinuated itself everywhere, so all must see him to be healed. He must be seen by faith—simply looking will not do. In the case of the leprosy, it was only the body to be healed, but in this case both body and soul will be healed.

On next Saturday evening the Epworth League of this church will give a lawn fete at the home of Mr. Pownall on Eoff street, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets. A fine programme of amusements has been prepared.

## To Raise a Million for Missions.

Yesterday was the day set by the Presbyterian General Assembly to take up a collection in all the churches toward raising a million dollars for the mission cause. In all the local churches liberal contributions were made to this sum.

## The Larger Christianity.

Last evening, at the Thomson M. E. church, on the Island, the pastor, Rev. Dr. F. D. Bickley, preached to a large congregation on "The Larger Christianity," the theme that has interested so many hearers for several weeks back.

## A WHEELING CONTRACTOR

Throws up his Sub-Contract on the Allegheny Postoffice.

In the Pittsburgh Dispatch yesterday appeared an article saying that Wilbur C. Jacobs, of Wheeling, who had the sub-contract under Richardson & Burgess for the brick work on the foundations for the new postoffice in Allegheny, had left, and that several contractors who furnished materials for his part of the work were unpaid. Mr. Jacobs' own version of the story is also given. He says he did not have sufficient working capital to continue the work, having borrowed what he had when he began, and that the principal contractors took the work off his hands. He says all accounts were settled up to the time the last estimate was allowed, when he threw up the job and came home, not having made a cent on it. A Wheeling man who worked on the brick sub-contract holds the note of the main contractors for the wages due him. Mr. Jacobs is now working in this city.

The most pleasant little pills for regulating the bowels are Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers. Cure sick headache and constipation. Small pill. Small dose. Logan Drug Co., Wheeling, W. Va., Dr. F. Peabody, Benwood, and Bowie & Co., Bridgeport, O.

## Notion.

I want every man and woman in the United States interested in the Opium and Whisky habits to have one of my books on these diseases. Address B. M. Woodruff, Atlanta, Ga., Box 389, and one will be sent you free.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

The decorating department of the LaBelle pottery will resume operations this morning.

MEETINGS of the council committees on fire department and real estate have been called for this evening.

THERE were four common cases in the police court Saturday morning and one lone one at the evening court.

Very handsome badgers have arrived, to be worn by the K. T. of this city on the occasion of their trip to the Boston conclave the last of the month.

Notice is given in another column that the German Fire Insurance Company has declared a dividend of five per cent, a pretty good sign these times.

A MARRIAGE license was issued Saturday to Michael Drowski, a native of Germany, aged twenty-seven, and Mary Markas, a native of Germany, aged seventeen.

OFFICER DUDLEY last night saved the police court from a whitewash this morning by hauling in William Upke, on a charge of disorderly conduct in the Eighth ward.

A REGULAR meeting of the Ohio county Bar Association was held Saturday, at which Messrs. G. B. Caldwell, C. E. Morris, J. B. Handlan and I. F. Jones were admitted to membership.

For the first time in many weeks there was not an arrest made by the police Saturday night, and up to supper time yesterday the docket for this morning's police court was still a blank.

A HEAVY wagon drawn by four horses, and belonging to George Abrams, ran through C. M. Coen's fence, on South Penn street, Saturday, breaking a panel of the fence down and frightening a carload of people badly.

CLERK Hook on Saturday admitted to record a deed made July 3, 1895, by the Union Building Association, to Mrs. Anna Swan, for a piece of property at the southeast corner of North Huron and Kentucky streets. Consideration, \$1,500.

The famous Jack Bass fishing club has elected the following officers: President, Judge G. W. Jeffers; secretary, Harry Bierson; treasurer, J. J. Sheekey; provision master, W. Welty; quartermaster, Colonel Aug. Rolt.

SUNDAY MORNING, Louis Schan, Martin Carroll, Michael Stein, A. Pestinger, H. Goetzke and A. Palmer departed over the Baltimore & Ohio road for Detroit, Mich., to attend the session of the Grand Lodge of the Improved Order of Knights of Pythias. The convention opens Tuesday, and 110 lodges will be represented.

The certificate of incorporation of the Oilpo Oil Company was left for record at Clerk Hook's office on Saturday. The incorporators are T. J. Vandergift, of Jamestown, N. Y.; John M. Patterson, Philo N. French and James B. McKaig, of Pittsburgh; W. L. Curtis, of Bradford, Pa., and W. H. Hearne and N. B. Scott, of this city.

THIS evening Excelsior Lodge No. 9, A. O. U. W., will install the following officers: P. M. W., W. W. Rodgers; M. W., F. D. Friedrich; Foreman, B. Gardner; Secretary, Wheeler Buchanan; Overseer, J. W. Elliott; Guide, J. M. Dunlap; Financial Secretary, W. T. Higgins; Treasurer, Allen Brock; Inside Guard, E. Emsheimer; Outside Guard, H. Thalman.

## THE GOVERNOR REVIEWED

By One Who Heard the Mager-Harrison Cases Tried—Every One of His Conclusions Not Sustained by the Facts—The Pardon a Blot on Modern Civilization, and a slap in the Face of Law and Justice.

To the Editor of the Intelligencer.

Sir:—I was present as a looker on at the trial of George Mager and William Harrison, for the murderous assault made upon Thomas O'Brien, Jr., a few days before the last November election. I gave strict attention to all of the testimony presented by the state, and made notes, which I still have. After the parties were convicted by the jury I heard intimations that the case had been carried up to the governor, and that it was believed he would pardon the felons; but I did not give the matter a passing thought, for the reason that I had too much confidence in the good sense and common honesty of the governor to believe he would extend clemency to men whom the testimony showed were midnight would-be assassins. That Mr. O'Brien was not killed outright was no fault of the assassins, for the testimony showed that they meant to kill, and were only prevented from accomplishing their purpose by the timely intervention of trainmen and passengers.

I read in to-day's papers the governor's reasons for clemency, and, in all candor, I must say that his "reasons" are as void of fact as his act is void of justice. He contends the newspapers for misstatements of the character of the crime. If he had carefully read the evidence, he would not have made any such statement as that; because the newspapers simply stated the case as it was, and in no instance misstated facts—at least our Wheeling papers are not deserving of this accusation.

The single fact set out in the governor's explanation for granting the pardon is that politics was the cause of the attack on Mr. O'Brien. He was attacked because he had changed his politics, and thereby caused Mager, and perhaps others, to lose some money in betting on how he (O'Brien) was going to vote, and for this reason it was decided to "smash" him.

The judge who tried the case was a Democrat, and so were a number of the jurors. No man can truthfully say that Judge Ewing did not preside ably and impartially from first to last of the trial, and that the jurors did not perform their duty impartially. It is true that the men were indicted for felonious assault, and were convicted of unlawful assault, but it is not true that the sentence of the law-breakers to sixty days in a county jail was excessive punishment for the crime committed. The statute allows the judge to commit to the penitentiary for an unlawful assault, and Judge Ewing sent a man to the penitentiary for two years for a similar offense and under a similar verdict since William McCorkle has been governor of this commonwealth.

The governor says Mager did not lay his hands on O'Brien. So he did not, but the testimony showed that he planned the whole job, and was on the train when Harrison did the beating with a "billy." No one will charge the governor with being very much of a lawyer, but he is lawyer enough to know that a conspirator is equally guilty with the one who uses the weapon. But there is no evidence to show conspiracy of any kind, says the governor. He is shamefully ignorant of the facts, or he wantonly misstates them.

Two witnesses swore that Mager was seen several times during the evening of the slugging, hunting O'Brien. One man swore that he saw Mager in a buggy at 1 o'clock that night hunting O'Brien. Another swore he heard Mager say he (Mager) did not have to slug O'Brien,

but he had friends who would do it. Another swore that Mager told him to let O'Brien alone, as he would get slugged in a few minutes. Another swore he heard Mager say that O'Brien would be fixed before he could get out of town. In addition to this, Mager was at the depot with Harrison just before the train pulled out on which O'Brien, it was known, was going to Fairmont at 2 o'clock that night; and it was intended to do the slugging then and there, but O'Brien's friends were expecting it, and were numerous on hand, and so the attack was not made. But as soon as the train pulled out, Mager and Harrison drove to Ford's Crossing, a mile down town, boarded the train, and just as the train whistled for Benwood station, four miles from Wheeling, and while O'Brien was lying in his seat, with his eyes closed, Harrison struck him several blows in the face with a weapon of some kind, and Mager was standing beside Harrison, but did not strike O'Brien, because it was not necessary for him to do so, as Harrison was getting in his work with his "billy."

But the governor says no weapon was used. Mr. Gonder, a brakeman on the train, and a very intelligent man, swore that Harrison had some weapon in his hand, but he used it so rapidly that he could not see what it was. Dr. Brownfield, who dressed O'Brien's wounds at Fairmont, the same morning that he was attacked, swore that both of O'Brien's eyes were bruised and were badly swollen, and that he was bruised on the arms and chest, and also stated that the wound could not have been done with the naked fist. But with all this positive testimony before him, the governor reaches the conclusion "that it was nothing more than an assault and battery," and that the punishment of sixty days in jail was too severe for the crime committed. Although 250 miles away from the scene of the trial, and evidently without reading the testimony given before court and jury, he arrives at the remarkable conclusion that neither judge nor jury knew anything about law or testimony, and therefore punished two innocent gentlemen entirely too severely.

In all candor, and without prejudice, I am forced to the conclusion that Governor McCorkle, in the pardon of these two criminals, has committed an act that will follow him, and ought to haunt him, for years to come. It is a disgrace to the high position he fills to use power in so slipshod a manner. The better people of this section, who know the personal character of the men he turned loose upon the community to commit other similar crimes—for this is not the first act of that character they have been guilty of—and the law-abiding people of the entire state, will not look with favor upon an executive who so wantonly abuses his power and authority.

Marshall County.

Moundsville, July 7, 1895.

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